## Federal & State "Funding Ponds"

A funding stream can be identified at its national or state source and traced to a local endpoint where districts or schools access it. At the local level, federal and state funds mix with local sources to create funding ponds, which can be drawn upon to fund learning supports for students. The pond can be used to fund improvements as diverse as underwriting professional development and cross-training, hiring subject matter specialists, and implementing drug prevention programs.

